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WANTED—By a girl accustomed to Chamber work, a position to do house work in a private family or in a hotel. Apply to E. D., addressed to this office. oct10 6t

WANTED.—An Upholsterer; steady employment and highest wages paid. Apply to F. W. Hart, Vancouver. oct3 tf

WANTED.—A man and wife to rent restaurant and rooms in connection with a hotel doing good paying business. For particulars apply at this office. oct 6.

WANTED.—A good, strong Tradesman's Cart. Cowdroy Bros., Vancouver, Apply to S. J. Pitts. oct 1w

TO AGENTS THE CANADIAN NEEDLE Co., 46 and 48 Front Street East, Toronto get up the Neatest, most Complete and Best Selling Needle Package in America. Send 25 Cents for Sample of New No. 4, finished in fine Finish. Particulars sent when stamps are enclosed for reply.

Don't worry if you are out of employment. Write to Mr. Kowdy, 41 Wellington Street East, Toronto. Send stamps for reply.

LOST.

LOST.—On Monday last, between Humboldt street and Senator Macdonald's, a dark brown Fur Cape. The finder will kindly return the same to this office. oct12 3t

DOG LOST.—A liver colored Spaniel Pup, about 8 months old, without collar. The finder will be rewarded by returning to W. Templeman, Times office. oct11

TO RENT.

TO LET.—A comfortably furnished room; good locality, in a private family. Address B. M., Times office. oct12 6t

TO LET.—One or two Furnished Rooms with or without board, James' Bay, ten minutes' walk from Post Office. Apply to "M. S.," care Times office. oct5 6t

TO LET.—A furnished House on Cadboro Bay Road, seven rooms. Apply to J. J. Austin, Bastion street, Victoria. sept29

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE.—Lease and good-will of Sydney Island, containing about 2000 acres, 250 breeding Ewes, 75 head of Cattle, Buildings, Implements, Boats, new Wagon, etc. Apply to Drake, Jackson & Helmcken, Victoria. oct5 tf

FOR SALE.—Three Cows, all giving Milk, ages 5, 6 and 7 years; also one Heifer Calf, 9 months old. Apply to Mrs. Bates, Chatham street. oct7 3t

FOR SALE.—One hundred acres of Crown Grant Land with coal rights, at Vesuvius Bay, Salt Spring Island; about 12 acres under fence, partly cleared, two acres of grass. New frame House. Price $800. Apply to J. B. Mercer, Victoria. oct5 6t

FOR SALE.—At Vesuvius Bay, Salt Spring Island, 158 acres Crown Grant Land, 145 pre-emption; 35 acres clear and under fence, 15 acres cultivated; Chi-kon yard 1¼ acres, with picket fence round; House, Barns, Orchard, six Cows, two Work Oxen, one Heifer Calf, Hogs, Sheep, Geese, Turkeys, Chickens and Ducks. Frontage on lake ¾ of a mile. Price $3500. Apply to J. B. Mercer, Post Office, Victoria, or T. W. Mouat, Vesuvius Bay. oct5 6t

FOR SALE.—Fourteen Acres of land, four miles from the city, part under fence and cultivation, with new five-roomed Cottage, Barn and Outbuildings complete. Never failing spring 50 feet from the house. Easy terms. Address T. R. Ella, Drawer 99, Victoria. se20

FOR SALE OR LEASE.—A desirable Farm of Three Hundred Acres, eight miles from town. Lake frontage. Particulars at J. J. Austin's, Bastion street. july15 tf

FOR SALE.—An established Hotel business with a paying trade centrally situated within a short distance of the Post Office. A good investment for a good man with CASH. Address, for particulars "Hotel," Times office.

TEAS, WINES AND SPIRITS.

JOHN BOYD,

Has just landed, ex "Coldstream," the Finest Scotch Whiskies ever imported from Scotland, connoisseurs whose health requires the most perfect qualities of Whisky will do well to give them a trial. In stock, Dantzic Spruce Beer and Teas of a very superior quality.
P. O. Box 462.—YATES STREET.—feb4mly

MEETINGS TO BE HELD.

ST. ANDREWS and CALEDONIAN Society meets in their hall, Broughton street, between Government and Broad streets, on the FIRST FRIDAY of every month. All Scotchmen are invited to join.
ROBERT MITCHELL, Secretary.

VICTORIA-COLUMBIA Lodge, No. 1, A. F. & A. M., B. C. R.—Regular Communication the first Thursday in each month, at Masonic Temple, corner Douglas and Pandora streets.
mar2 12m R. B. ESMOUE, Secretary.

STRAY COW.

CAME to the premises of the undersigned, one RED COW, without brand. The owner will please pay expenses and take her away.
CASPER HARMON.
North Saanich, Sept. 27. sept27 2w

REMOVAL.

S. C. BURRIS, ARCHITECT,

Has Removed to Corner Government and Broughton Streets, Rooms 7, 8 and 9 Hamley Building. jy1

VICTORIA THEATRE.

TWO GRAND EVENTS.

Tuesday & Wednesday, Oct. 11 & 12.

Emerson's Minstrels!

Headed by the Prince of Minstrels,
BILLY EMERSON
A COMPANY OF STARS.
25 ARTISTS 25
New and Elegant First Part.
Grand Finale. Novel Olio.
Emerson's Brass Band & Orchestra.

Reserved seats now on sale at M. W. Waitt & Co.'s Bookstore.
NOTE.—Entire change of programme Wednesday night. oct6 6t

Steamer PREMIER.

The St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society

Having chartered the new and magnificent Steamer Premier, will give a

Grand Excursion

To Port Townsend and return
ON
Saturday next, 15th inst.

Will leave C. P. N. Co.'s Wharf at 9 a. m., returning about 6 p. m.

A Band will accompany the Excursionists.

Fare for the Round Trip—Adults, $1.50; Children under twelve 50 cents.

Tickets may be had at the C. P. N. Co.'s Offices, T. N. Hibben & Co.'s, or of any of the members.
oct11 R. MITCHELL, Secretary.

SAANICH
Agricultural Society.
The 19th Annual Exhibition
Of the Society will be held at their grounds on
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 13.

A Lunch will be given on the grounds.

A BALL

Will be held in the evening. Tickets admitting Gentleman and Lady $2. Single tickets for ladies 50 cents. oct6 D&W td

St. James' Church.

THE LADIES OF THE ST. JAMES' SEWING Society will hold their
ANNUAL SALE OF WORK
At the Cathedral School Room,
On Wednesday, Nov. 2, 1887,
Commencing at 11 o'clock.
Luncheon from 12 to 2, at 25 cts.
GRAND CONCERT
In the Evening, at 8 o'clock.
ADMISSION 50 CENTS. oct3

Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital.

TO ARCHITECTS.

DESIGNS, PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS are invited for the above building in accordance with memorandum of particulars, copies of which, together with contour plans of the site, may be obtained on application to the undersigned. A premium of $60 will be paid for whichever design and plans, if any, may be adopted. Such design, plans and specifications to become the property of the Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital Building Committee.

Plans for the building to be addressed, in sealed envelope to the undersigned, and to be handed in to him or to reach him before noon of 5th December next.
WILLIAM M. CHUDLEY,
Wharf-street, Victoria, Hon. Secretary.
15th Sept., 1887. sept16

Teacher Wanted,

FOR PRINCIPAL OF THE VICTORIA High School. Duties to begin in November. Must be a graduate in Arts of some recognized University. Salary $110 per month. Applications received up to the 25th inst.
WALTER WALKER,
oct7 3d Secretary Victoria School Board.

TEACHER WANTED.

A DULY qualified teacher wanted for Rocky Point Public school. Applications to be sent to THOS. ARGYLE,
Secretary of Trustees.
Rocky Point Sept. 26-1887.

LOOK
At These Prices.

Large Bed Comforters, 75c
White Flannel, All Wool, 25c
Red do. do. 25c
Grey do. do. 25c
do. do. Union. 20c
679 yds 27-in Serge Dress Goods, 20c
4 pcs of Worsted do. 12½c
6 pcs do. do. 16½c
48-in Black and Colored Cashmeres, 50c
Honeycomb Towels, from 65c per doz
Linen Towels, Colored Borders $1.37½ per doz.
2 yds Wide Sheeting, 25c per yard.
Canton Flannel, Heavy, 8c per yard.
Linen Crash (Roller), 8c per yard.
Figured Dress Lawns, 5c per yard.
Wide Prints, 5c per yard
Good Embroideries, 4c, 6, 8, 10c, 12½c
Ladies' Colored Border Handkfs, 50c per doz
" Heavy Merino Vests, 75c and $1
" Zenella Umbrellas, 50c
" Zephyr Shawls, 75c to $1
Tam O'Shanters, 40c and 65c
Gents' Ribbed Underwear, 75c per Suit
" White Shirts, 60c
" Dark Cotton Sox, $1 per doz
" Fine Wool Sox, Seamless, 25c per pair.

Argyle House
CLARENCE BLOCK,
DOUGLAS STREET.
sep9 D & W 1m

Splendid Chance.

THE undersigned offers for sale the business, stock-in-trade, good stock of Liquors, Furniture, Bar Fixtures and appurtenants of the
St. Nicholas Hotel,
Government Street.
This well-known Hotel is doing a good business, is situated in the centre of the city, and is at once a first-class and desirable business.
It contains 52 sleeping rooms and Parlors, all well furnished, yard and stabling, outbuildings, Restaurant, &c., in fact all the appointments of a first-class hotel. This is a splendid opportunity for a live business man.
For further information, apply on the premises, Government street, Victoria, to
oct4 JOHN McCARTNEY.

FOR SALE.

The Valley Hotel,
Pleasantly located at Chilliwhack Landing,
CONSISTING of nineteen rooms, painted and papered, with or without furniture. A pretty Flower Garden, good Vegetable Garden, Barn, Driving House and Stable, with all the facilities for doing a flourishing business.
Mrs. Harrison's reason for advertising is that she desires to retire from public life. Her successor cannot wish for more than the enviable popularity that has characterized her Temperance House Hotel, which bears not only a well-known and highly creditable reputation throughout this province but also in Ontario.
Chilliwhack Valley is one of the most promising agricultural settlements in British Columbia, and we unhesitatingly predict for it in the near future increased wealth and growing prosperity. For further particulars, address
MRS. HARRISON,
oct8 1m D&W Chilliwhack P. O.

Just Arrived.

A CONSIGNMENT OF FINE AMERICAN
Buggies and Phaetons,
By the Celebrated Makers,
Engor & Co. of Cincinnati.
For Sale at Reasonable Prices.
G. BYRNES,
aug 2 tf Fort and Langley Streets.

DRESSMAKING.

THE MISSES HARTS,
LATE OF DUBLIN, IRELAND,
HAVE opened a fashionable dressmaking Establishment
Opposite St. John's Church.
PRICES REASONABLE. sep27 1m

Teacher Wanted.

A DULY QUALIFIED TEACHER wanted for Pearie Public School. Applications to be sent to ROBERT McKEE,
sept 29 Secretary of Trustees.
July18

TO-DAY'S DISPATCHES.

Terrible Railway Accident—Fastest War Ship Afloat.

Hon. Mr. Chapleau Anxious About His Position in the Cabinet.

SIR A. GALT.

TORONTO, Oct. 12.—The *Globe's* London cable says: Sir Alexander Galt has arrived in connection with the Port Arthur and Duluth railway.

THROWN UP THE SPONGE.

MONTREAL, Oct. 12.—Mr. Villeneuve, Conservative M. P. P. for Hochelaga, has thrown up the sponge and the seat has been declared vacant.

Senator Seneca died to-day.

CHAPLEAU'S POSITION.

OTTAWA, Oct. 12.—Mr. Chapleau was accompanied here to-day by a number of Quebec Conservative politicians, including three ex-ministers of Quebec. The whole party waited on Sir John with the object, it is understood, of inducing him to keep Chapleau in the ministry.

The Lieut. Governorship of Quebec will be settled in a few days.

Lansdowne has gone to Lake Erie with his family for three weeks' duck shooting.

Sir Hector Langevin is seriously ill.

BULGARIAN RIOT.

SOFIA, Oct. 12.—In an election riot at Plevna twenty-four were killed and thirty injured.

HEAVY LOSSES.

MONTREAL, Oct. 12.—It is rumored here that a western bank has made recently very heavy loss which will seriously impair its capital. Developments will shortly follow.

MANITOBA'S BOND.

WINNIPEG, Oct. 12.—Although the treasury bonds issued by the provincial government were on sale yesterday at the Imperial bank only five hundred dollars worth were taken up. There is nothing new in the railroad situation.

FOR MANSLAUGHTER.

BRANDON, Man., Oct. 12.—The Henry boys, who killed an Indian at Rapid City last week, will be tried for manslaughter.

QUEBEC TAXES.

QUEBEC, Oct. 12.—The payment on corporation business tax so far has amounted to three hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

ABANDONS THE WORK.

WINNIPEG, Oct. 12.—Hugh Ryan has abandoned his contract on the Red River Valley road. Premier Norquay says that new arrangements will be made and the road will be built this fall.

THE INTER-PROVINCIAL CONFERENCE.

Contrary to what has already been stated, the sittings of the Inter-provincial Congress will be strictly private.

AMERICAN NEWS.

A WASH OUT.

TUMA, A. T., Oct. 11.—There were two small wash outs last night between Casa Grande and Tucson, and the west-bound trains are delayed.

A CORRESPONDENT SHOOTS.

MEXICO, Oct. 11.—A man named Edward, claiming to be a correspondent of the St. Louis *Globe-Democrat*, created a sensation here last evening by attempting to shoot a saloon proprietor.

YELLOW FEVER.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.—Official information received here to-day states that it is unquestionably yellow fever that is raging in Tampa, Florida. One death occurred yesterday. The report says it is all over the place and the city authorities are doing nothing.

A LOTTERY RAIDED.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 11.—The offices of the lottery company, known as the Little Louisiana, on Montgomery street, was raided by detectives at noon to-day. Fifteen hundred coupons were captured. Ten visitors were arrested and released on $50 bail each.

SUICIDED.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 11.—Wm. Cantovich, a despondent glove finisher, suicided at noon to-day, by shooting himself through the body with a revolver.

ALASKA SALMON.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 11.—A gentleman who has arrived in this city from Alaska states that the Karluk Packing Company, located at Karluk, Kodiak Island, have canned, between June and September, 75,000 cases of salmon, each case containing forty eight-pound cans. The cases will be shipped to this city, a large number having arrived already.

HORRIBLE RAILWAY ACCIDENT.

HAMMOND, Ind., Oct. 11.—The passenger train east bound on the Chicago & Atlantic railway leaving Hammond at 8:15 last night broke down near Kout station. The engine started ahead, leaving the train, and stopped for water at Slate Ditch. The engine got on the center and could not get back to the train. A stock train following and running on special time crashed into the sleeper, telescoping the sleeper and four coaches. So far 14 bodies have been taken from the wreck, a doctor from Huntington being the only passenger identified. The rest are burned beyond recognition. Twenty-five or 30 are wounded. The engineer and fireman on the stock train were wounded and are not expected to live.

KENT, Ind., Oct. 11.—The train wrecked on the Chicago & Atlantic road was the east-bound Erie express, which left Chicago at 9:45 last evening. The coals quickly set fire to the coaches, and three were soon blazing. The light from the flames could be seen for miles, and, although the scene of the accident is in a desolate prairie, farmers and others soon arrived and assisted those who were unhurt to drag out the helpless beings from the blazing prisons. One man, the head of a large family, lay between the baggage car and a day coach, with a brake rod driven through his neck. Thus impaled he perished, while his family lay writhing in agony about him. Water was near to hand and was thrown on the flames as rapidly as possible without effect. Those who suffered most were the occupants of the day coach, and it is thought that at least fifteen were burned to death. The railway officials claim there were only twenty passengers on the entire train, but those who stood about the wreck declare the number was greater. There were probably only a few persons in the Pullman car, and they all escaped. It was in the day coach where the slaughter was complete. This car was smashed to pieces, the sides flew out and the heavy room fell upon the score or more of passengers who were pinned beneath the seats.

A TERRIFIC STORM.

NOGALES, A. T., Oct. 12.—A disastrous storm has occurred in Southern Mexico. Quielity, a town of ten thousand people is totally destroyed. Many lives have been lost. The affecting scenes during the storm beggars description. Many women, children and men were floundering in the stormy current crying for help.

THE FISHERIES.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.—It can be authoritatively stated that the recent conference between the Secretary of State and the fishery commissioners, Putman and Angel, the matter of the free admission of Canadian fish was not agreed upon nor was a final decision taken upon any point of the coming negotiations. There seems to be a strong tendency in certain quarters, notably in English newspapers, to connect the seizure of sealers in Behring's sea with the Canadian fishery negotiations. As a matter of fact, up to the present day, the British government never raised the question of the right of the United States to exercise jurisdiction over the waters of Behring's Sea, nor has the Department of late ever affirmed or disclaimed that right in the course of its correspondence with foreign governments. The only communications on the subject received from the British Government are confined to requests to be furnished with information touching the report of seizures of British vessels in the Behring Sea, and so far from withholding or concealing any facts that might be of service to the British Government in the approaching negotiations, the fullest information has been furnished the British minister of all the facts attending the seizures known to the Department.

Secretary Bayard has no intention or design to compass his object of a final and satisfactory settlement of the fishery question by any concealment of facts or chicanery, but hopes to reach this end by a full, free and open discussion of every phase of the matter.

In what manner, if any, the Department may be influenced in its treatment of Alaskan sealers, if the jurisdiction of the United States over Behring Sea should ever be questioned, by the reported seizure of foreign sealers by Russia on the Siberian Coast on a similar claim of jurisdiction over the waters beyond the three-mile limit, cannot be stated for the reason that the Department is ignorant of the facts connected with the reported seizures. It is known that one of the vessels was seized by the Russians for selling goods to the natives in violation of the Russian law, but in the cases reported it is not known at the Department of State whether the vessels were there or not within three-mile limit, and other important information is lacking.

THE SITKA MARSHAL.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 11.—The schooner Annie, one of the sixteen vessels seized in the Behring Sea this season for a violation of the seal fishing regulations, arrived here to-day from Sitka, having been released on bonds by the United States Court at that place. Captain Brown of the Annie, said in an interview: "Sitka is a terrible place in which to stay. We had to board our men all the time, and a meal cannot be had for less than 50 cents. The United States Marshal there carries things with a high hand."

KNIGHTS OF LABOR.

MINNEAPOLIS, Oct. 12.—The Knights of Labor yesterday appropriated $5000 to prosecute the capital syndicates of Texas for introducing foreign contract labor in violation of the national laws. Resolutions commending the early closing of business places were adopted. It was agreed to send a general lecturer to the Pacific Coast for three months during the coming year to facilitate the spread of the Order among the newly arrived foreign element. It was decided to publish the constitution and ritual in Polish, Bohemian and Italian.

CABLE NEWS.

WILL NOT ABDICATE.

PARIS, Oct. 11.—The Emperor of Brazil denies the truth of the rumor that he intends to abdicate.

FOMENTING DISCONTENT.

LONDON, Oct. 11.—The appeal of Dhuleep Singhi and the executive committee of the Indian Liberation Society is being printed on the Irish secret press in Paris. They appeal to the natives of British India to awake from their stupor and prove that they are no longer the dupes of English merchants and the slaves of English Governors. The appeal is dated at Moscow.

FASTEST WAR SHIP AFLOAT.

LONDON, Oct. 11.—The Reina Regente, the new deck protected cruiser which has just been built for the Spanish government on the Clyde is the fastest seagoing war ship afloat. Last week for the first time her speed was tested. Under natural draught she steamed at the rate of 19 knots or more than 21½ miles an hour. Under forced draught she certainly will steam 20½ knots or 23 miles and a third. This is a speed of which not even the best of the great ocean liners is capable. It is sufficient to enable the new vessel to cross the Atlantic from New York to Queenstown in about five days and five hours. Neither the Etruria or the Umbria would accomplish the same voyage in less than five days and twenty-two hours, and yet these ships are the fastest merchant steamers in existence. Spain is now building four more cruisers of unusual power.

A Pleasant Evening.

At the monthly temperance meeting of the Church of England Temperance Society in the Cathedral school room, the following programme was presented: The first was a pretty piano solo by Miss Hicks. Mr. C. A. Lombard followed in a song, "The Skipper," deservedly receiving an encore. Mr. D. E. Kerr's recitations and Miss C. Storey's solo were well rendered. A piano solo by Miss Martin, a *petite* young lady from Vancouver, and a sentimental song by Miss A. Carmichael completed the first half of the programme. After refreshments, provided by the ladies, had been handed around, a short and interesting address on temperance was delivered by Rev. Archdeacon Scriven, a piano solo by Miss Fox, and Miss A. Cameron's recitation were well received. A solo by Miss Vidler, "Strangers Yet," and a good reading by Dr. Renwick finished the programme. Mrs. T. N. Hibben played the accompaniments in her usual good style. The entertainment was brought to a close by singing the National Anthem. It was a very successful affair.

NEWS OF THE WORLD.

The News by Wire and Mail in Brief Paragraphs.

Mrs. Garfield and daughter have sailed for Europe.

Chamberlain is being received with great enthusiasm on his Irish tour.

In an election riot at Plevna last Sunday twenty-four persons were killed and thirty injured.

John B. Finch of Nebraska, the well-known temperance advocate, died suddenly in Boston last week.

The Galatea has sailed for Queenstown. Mrs. Henn accompanies her husband on the voyage.

Major Wicksteed, accountant in the Post-office Department has been superannuated after fifty years' service.

Major Jack Stewart, of Fort Macleod, was married to Miss Belle Skead, of Ottawa, last week.

The assessment of Toronto for 1888, just completed, is $98,297,901, as against $83,562,811 for 1887. The population is 126,169; increase, 7,766.

The Bryn Mawr Hotel at Bryn Mawr was entirely destroyed by fire early on Tuesday morning. The occupants are safe. Loss, $200,000.

The Canada Lumber company, viz., Messrs. McLaren, Edwards & Co., employing 300 men, have decided to move their headquarters from Carleton Place to Ottawa.

At Balmoral last week the Prince of Wales unveiled Boehm's statue of the Queen, presented by the district tenantry. The Queen expressed thanks for the loyal, kind address presented her.

Larry Donovan, of New York, who gained the bonsent of the police by assuring them there was no danger, jumped from Waterloo bridge on the 6th inst., in the presence of 1000 spectators.

It has been decided to put into operation the forty miles of road constructed by the Hudson's Bay Railroad Company last fall. Three trains per week will be run.

Hamilton's assessment roll shows $24,363,798, an increase of $1,363,798 over last year. The population has increased 1,418 and is now 43,082. The total population including East Hamilton is about 53,000.

Edward and Thomas Moran were found dead in bed at their hotel, Chicago, on the 4th inst., suffocated by gas. They came from Dakota and were *en route* to Canada. The two were brothers.

The London *Times* of the 5th publishes a letter signed "Manitoban," from Winnipeg, describing Manitoba's position on the railway question and rebutting the charge of lawlessness.

Mrs. Elizabeth Dixon, who died on the 5th inst., was one of the oldest residents of Toronto. She came there in 1818, and saw the city grow from a couple of thousand inhabitants to its present size.

The treaty regarding a union of the Transvaal states has been concluded, and henceforth they will be one republic, under President Paul Kruger, with its capital at Petroria. It will be known as the Transvaal Republic.

Scarlet fever is ranging to an alarming extent at Eastman's Springs, near Ottawa, a village about six miles from there on the Canada Pacific Railway, some 20 persons at present ill with the disease some of them dangerously so.

The number of patents issued by the Department of Agriculture last month was 147, as compared with 225 in the corresponding period last year. The receipts in patent office fees last month reached nearly $7,000.

William T. Stansbury has been a compositor on the Baltimore *Sun* for fifty years, and yet his eyes are as good as ever, and he nightly sets the financial column in agate, the smallest type that is used on that paper.

In the case of the children of William Nicholson of East Flamboro, who met their deaths some days ago by morphine poisoning, the drug being administered in mistake for quinine, the coroner's jury brought in a verdict to-day that the poison had been administered by Dr. J. E. W. Anderson of Millgrove, he supposing that it was quinine.

Mr. Henry Norman, of the *Pall Mall Gazette*, is in Eastern Canada on his way to the coast. Mr. Norman's letters are to appear in the Manchester *Examiner* and other leading provincial journals simultaneously with their appearance in the *Gazette*. He will also visit Newfoundland ere he returns.

A bold scheme of engineering is that of tunneling the Rocky mountains under one of the highest peaks for a distance of 25,000 feet or nearly five miles. It is claimed that this work if accomplished would shorten the distance between Denver and Salt Lake City nearly 300 miles, and it is asserted that considerable capital has been raised in England for the undertaking.

The London *Times* continues discussing at length the value of the Canadian Pacific as a route to the east. In its issue of the 5th there appears a long article from a correspondent dealing with the chief advantages of the route and tracing the history of the movement to obtain an Imperial subsidy. According to the *Times* fully one-quarter of the £45,000 which the Imperial Government are contributing will be placed on the navy vote as a subvention for Imperial steamers for use in war times.

The half-yearly report of the Grand Trunk just issued says the period has been unfavorable, with a severe winter, unusually prolonged, and increasing competition by the Canadian Pacific in Ontario and Quebec. The directors consider that the improvement of the Grand Trunk system has been satisfactory and the results of working for the half year encouraging, in spite of these disadvantages, which shows the strength and capacity of the system to retain a fair share of the business of the country and make progress in the face of the further competition that must undoubtedly be expected.

COUNTY COURT.

(Before Sir M. B. Begbie, C. J.)

Lawson vs Porter. Action to recover wages; judgment for plaintiff for $9. H L Gulline & Co for plaintiff; J P Walls for defendant.

Harris vs Moore. Mr C F Moore rented a house on Humboldt street from D R Harris at $8 per month and moved in about the 1st of Sept., rent to begin on the 10th. Owing to impure water he vacated the premises before the 10th. Judgment for defendant.

Nolly vs Anderson. Action for $50 damages to crop by defendant's pigs. Judgment by default.

Williams vs Col. Stevens. Action for recovery of a small claim for book-binding. Judgment for defendant.

Peak vs Irwin. Defendant was ordered to pay plaintiff $25 a month until claim was paid.

—Money saved by having your plans made by Francis, the Architect.

NANAIMO AND DISTRICT.

A Cranberry Cedar Social—Youthful Hunters Hunted For.

What next? The settlers of Cranberry and Cedar districts held a social last Saturday evening at the Cedar district school house, where there was an enjoyable evening spent. After the inner man had been strongly fortified with the districts' productions, supplied by the ladies of the district in regal style, the young folks indulged in the light fantastic until near 12 o'clock. Very shortly after they all started for their rural retreats, when, to the surprise of all, they found themselves in a snow storm. Yes, a real veritable snow storm on October 9th in British Columbia!—which in a very few minutes draped the festive travellers in Christmas garb. Having achieved its mission "the cloud passed by," and the district roads assumed their normal condition and all arrived home highly pleased with the pleasant gathering. Cranberry-Cedar is becoming famous for pleasant socials, and quite a few of our fellow towns' folks are ever ready to participate.

Saturday last appears to have been a notable day, for that morning two young boys named Arthur McGregor and Christopher Graner, went out with real sportsmanlike zeal, well provided for the slaughter of any game that might loom up. These valiant young nimrods not having reported themselves at supper that evening their parents began to feel uneasy at their delayed meanderings. At first it was thought their successful sportsmanship detained them while attempting to convey to home and friends the proofs of their unerring skill; but as another long hour passed and no returns to hand from youth and beauty, it was decided to inaugurate a volunteer exploring party. Stage horses, cow bells, rifles and blunder buses were rapidly enrolled in the military ranks of Nanaimo's voluntary search association, and a start made. Soon the wild woods echoed and re-echoed with the cowbell's clang, and ten o'clock came, and the cow bell still rang and the fire-arms belched forth but all to no purpose. Eleven, twelve and one a. m. Sunday morning, and as one and another straggler dropped in at headquarters, the doubts and fears of relatives formed all kinds of results, but at last miles away out in the Cranberry district the two valiants were discovered between 2 and 3 o'clock in the morning, minus game of all kinds, and with a stomach as empty as their game bags. It is needless to say they have no ambition to start again in quest of game this season, as they fail to see the fun therein.

There is quite a number of our citizens this fall making the Nanaimo lakes their stamping ground for fishing and hunting. The game is very plentiful along the shores of the lake and the banks of the river as it flows from out the lakes. The trail for 14 or 15 miles would be none the worse if it had a little work put on it, as a few logs lie across it. These lakes, the upper and lower, will yet make a beautiful resort for our citizens, as at no great distance of time there must of necessity be a good road built and valuable homesteads established through the valley of the river and around the lakes.

BLUE JAY.

CUPID'S CONQUESTS.

Two Fashionable Marriages in Montreal Last Week.

The Montreal journals give full particulars of a couple of fashionable weddings which took place in Montreal last week.

WRANKLYN-ANGUS.

The marriage of Mr. F. L. Wranklyn, Assistant Works Manager of the Grand Trunk Railway, to Miss Edith Margaret Angus, eldest daughter of Mr. R. B. Angus of the C. P. R., and niece to the Messrs. and Misses Angus of this city, was celebrated in the afternoon of the 5th inst., in St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, Dorchester street, in the presence of a large and distinguished company, including about 130 invited guests, friends and relatives of the bride and bridegroom. Mr. Wranklyn arrived at the church accompanied by Mr. J. G. Monk, his best man. The bride, who was accompanied by her father and attended by five bridesmaids, was dressed in white and wore a veil; she carried a magnificent bouquet of white bride roses and lilies of the valley. The bridesmaids' bouquets were composed of Marechal Neil roses, and maiden hair fern. Mr. J. H. Robinson presided at the organ, and played during the entrance of the company; the ceremony was performed by the Rev. James Barclay, the choir singing several hymns. The wedding party left the church to the strains of the Wedding March. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Angus held a reception at their residence, 240 Drummond street, which was largely attended. A noticeable feature was a large wedding bell, two feet high by two feet in diameter, composed of white bride roses, stephanotis, carnations and Bouvardia, the clapper being formed by one magnificent rose. It was suspended above the heads of the bride and bridegroom. The happy couple were the recipients of numerous and costly gifts. They left that evening *en route* for England where they purpose spending the honeymoon.

BOUTHILLIER-SILLS.

His Eminence Cardinal Taschereau in St. Patrick's Church in the forenoon of the same day officiated at the marriage of Mr. Charles F. Bouthillier to Miss Marie Louise Emma Gwendoline, only daughter of Mr. W. B. Sills. The bride was grand niece of His Eminence. The wedding was attended by the *elite* of Montreal as well as many distinguished and prominent personages from a distance. It was an event that had been on the tapis for a long time in the best English and French social circles. The scene in the church is described as grand in the extreme.

POLICE COURT.

(Before E. Johnson, Q. C., S. M.)

Tom, a Songhish Indian, charged by Officer Walker with being in possession of an intoxicant. Remanded until to-morrow.

John Johnson, arrested by Provincial Police Officers J. Langley and C. Miller, charged with deserting from H. M. S. Caroline. Johnson pleaded guilty and was ordered on board the ship.

Walter Cole, arrested by the above mentioned officers, charged with assisting a blue jacket to desert. Prisoner pleaded guilty and was fined $80 and costs or four months' imprisonment.

D. Blair, charged with infracting the Street By-law. Remanded.

Frank Swafrede, assisting and abetting smuggling. Charge withdrawn.

—Kurtz's Jubilee Cigars are now ready.

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"HONORABLE" CONSPIRATORS

The true story of Metlakahtla has still to be written, but it is perhaps unreasonable to hope that the tale will be told during the present generation. When in the process of time, the actors have passed forever from the scene, the acts and motives of the leaders will be weighed with greater judicial accuracy, uninfluenced by individual animosities and unswayed by personal predilections. Then, it may be, some impartial historian will place on record the true version of the Metlakahtla begira, and so bequeath to posterity the most remarkable chapter in the annals of British Columbia. The immortal verse of a Longfellow has perpetuated the memory of the Arcadians, to the everlasting shame of Englishmen; but the poet of the Tsimseans may be called upon to sing, after understanding the facts, not of oppression and final expulsion by declared enemies, but of the treachery and evil counsel of supposed friends. If his investigations lead him farther afield, his patriotic indignation upon discovering the duplicity and veiled treason of politicians will find vent in "thoughts that breathe and words that burn," and the reputations of some "statesmen" now living will probably suffer from the scorification that they will then receive. The data upon which the poet or the historian will be compelled to rely is now in process of accumulation, and among the mass of reports, private letters and public correspondence which will be read and re-read in the effort to arrive at the truth, none will open his eyes to the true inwardness" of the Metlakahtla "outrage" so speedily as the following remarkable document:

VICTORIA, B. C., Nov. 16, '86.

To the Lovers of Civil and Religious Liberty in America:

The bearer Mr. William Duncan, for thirty years a devoted missionary of religion and civilization in British North America, and during the whole of that period well known to the undersigned, is on his way to Washington, deputed by the native Christian brethren of Metlakahtla, to confer with the United States authorities on matters affecting their interest and desire.

Like the Pilgrim Fathers of old, this afflicted but prospering and thrifty flock seek *a refuge from grevious wrongs*, and *hope to find it under the American flag*. They prefer abandoning the home of their fathers and the precious fruits of their industry to submitting to the violent seizure of their land, and the *intolerable stings of religious greed and interference*. We therefore most respectfully commend Mr. Duncan and his mission to such brothers and friends in our sister country—*the land of the free*—as may be disposed to use their influence in aid of the oppressed.

(Signed),

E. CRIDGE,
Bishop of R. E. C., resident since 1854.
B. W. PEARSE,
Formerly Surveyor-General, Vancouver Island; also Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, B.C.; also Resident Engineer, P. W. Department, Canada; resident since 1851.
W. J. MACDONALD,
Life Senator of the Dominion Parliament of Canada from British Columbia; resident since 1850.
TURNER, BEETON & CO.,
Merchants, British Columbia.
J. H. Turner,
Member of Provincial Parliament, Victoria, B. C.

We attach the utmost importance to this strange document, firstly because this is a British province; secondly, the signatories are all prominent men and presumably loyal to Queen and country; thirdly, the "credentials" contain treasonable utterances and the document is *prima facia* evidence of a conspiracy against the state. It is not necessary, surely, to explain that the Hon. J. H. TURNER, who advises "a refuge from grievous wrongs" under "the American flag," is a sworn Minister of a British Colony, and occupies the distinguished position of Minister of Finance; nor that Hon. W. J. MACDONALD is a Senator of Canada. These gentlemen—who moreover conspire to send citizens of Canada to what they are pleased to call "the land of the free"—are English tories of the old school. It is, therefore, not to be wondered at that Mr. BAILLIE-GROHMAN should have written in the *Fortnightly* three years ago, that "it was "a moot point whether the Union "Jack or the Stars and Stripes should "float over this province." He may have talked with Senator MACDONALD, or been talked to by Hon. J. H. TURNER. But can these gentlemen be called loyal subjects of her most gracious Majesty the Queen when they, over their own signatures, suggest annexation and dis-union and dismemberment of the Empire? Are they loyal to the country and province in which they live? Are they discharging the high duties of their offices in a manner best calculated to further the interests of the Dominion and British Columbia? What will be thought in Ipswich, England, and Victoria, B. C., when it is known that Hon. Mr. TURNER has advised his fellow-countrymen to forsake the Union Jack and seek religious liberty in a republic—"the land of the free" as he calls it! Language like that, if used in Ireland, would under the Coercion bill of the Tories, ensure a plank bed for an indefinite period. Hon. Mr. TURNER is not an enthusiast; he has proper self-complacency and proper self-esteem. His action therefore is prompted by political motives and not by abstract ideas. No living man thinks more highly of Hon. Mr. TURNER's opinions than Mr. TURNER himself, and so when he adopts the *role* of LABOUCHER, or PARNELL, or BRADLAUGH, or HEALY, he does it as he does all things, with the full approval of his own conscience, and with the absolute assurance that he at any rate cannot err. It follows, then, that the Finance Minister, if he would be consistent and honestly follow the dictates of his conscience, must seek "a refuge from grievous wrongs" "in the land of the free." You cannot, Mr. TURNER, be loyal to Canada and to the United States: choose your flag.

Senator MACDONALD, who describes himself in a notice furnished by his own pen as of "Armadale, Victoria, and Union Club, Victoria," is, he writes, "descended from SOMERLAD, "Thane of Argyle and Lord of the Isles." He like Mr. TURNER has been Mayor of Victoria and has been a Senator of the Dominion since 1871, and of course he is a Scotchman. In his part of Scotland there have been furious rebels before now, and the blood and the traditions of 1745 may be latent yet. Of the other parties it is needless to speak. We have mentioned only the politicians—those sworn to bear true allegiance to Her Majesty. Very probably this subject will be discussed in the Dominion Parliament, and it is not unlikely that the government of Sir JOHN MACDONALD will take hostile measures with regard to these conspirators against the Crown and dignity of Queen VICTORIA.

GLADSTONE AGAIN SPEAKS.

Last week Mr. GLADSTONE addressed a deputation which waited upon him at Hawarden in an eloquent, vigorous, clear, and logical manner. He said that although the Liberals sustained a smashing defeat at the last election, the present year was full of signs that the judgment of the nation when again pronounced would be far different. The Irish question continued to cast into a deep shade every other question. It was to the interest of all parties to have the question settled. It would be an unfeigned joy to him if the Tories relieved the Liberals of the task of solving the problem by presenting to Ireland the measure of justice which she is entitled to receive. Such an event would cast upon him the delightful duty of assisting the Tories to attain a righteous and necessary end. He did not believe that the end would be long delayed. Little progress would be possible in English and Scotch affairs until the Irish question was fought to a happy consummation. It was said that he had caused the block in the last session of parliament. The fact was that he had not made a single proposal during the whole session. It was not by him or his friends that the progress of affairs had been stopped. It was because the government found it necessary to occupy the time of parliament with mischievous retrogressive proposals. Referring to the Liberal-Unionists, he said he would not find fault with their conscientious opposition. At the same time their whole conduct was animated by animosity and hostility to Ireland, and they did everything in their power to deprive the Liberal party of all influence and vitality. It was a deplorable position for gentlemen professing Liberalism. Sympathy with them was the dominant sentiment in his mind. There had always been weak-kneed Liberals. The present love was not the first one which Liberals had formed. The freedom of judgment which prevailed in the Liberal party made it liable to that calamity. Time would show that those who had left the party were egregiously wrong. It was a misnomer to call these men Liberal-Unionists. There was no unionism in them. Theirs was a policy which tended to destroy the Union. It was equally difficult to describe them as Liberals while they supported a government of coercion—not coercion to repress crime, but coercion to suppress freedom of speech, public assembly and even the freedom of the press. He had recently seen indications of police interference with the public meetings in London. This resulted from the proceedings of the last session of parliament. The Liberals had warned the people of England that the cause of Ireland was their cause. He had then no idea that the warning would be so soon verified. If the reports were true that the police had called at midnight at the houses of persons who intended to speak at a London meeting, demanding to know the objects and programme of that meeting, it was a gross outrage. Such action was contrary to the whole spirit of liberty and violently at variance with the traditions of England. From a mere party point of view he might say, let the government go on. The more offensive their proceedings the sooner would they bring about the great object of his life. His constant prayer was for a speedy and satisfactory settlement of the Irish question.

The petition against Mr. Scarth's election in Winnipeg has been thrown out by Chief Justice Wallbridge, on the ground that the time of service had expired. An appeal will be taken.

As Parliament will not meet until January and there is, therefore, no immediate necessity for the issue of writs, it is understood that they will be withheld a little so as to allow most of the petitions to be disposed of by the courts, and the writs will then be issued in provincial batches, all the elections in the eastern provinces taking place the same day

THE NATURALIZATION ACT.

A new regulation relating to the Naturalization Act has been promulgated in Ottawa. The one now in force under the Naturalization Act, Chap. 113, of the Revised Statutes of Canada, giving forms of declarations and oaths to be taken, etc., and prescribing, with the consent of the licensing board, the imposition and application of fees, as follows: (1.) For taking a declaration, whether of alienage or British nationality, a fee of 40c., to be applied to the justice or other official taking declaration. (2.) For administering the oath of allegiance, 40c., to the justice, commissioner, notary, stipendiary or other magistrate administering the oath. (3.) For registration of declaration with or without the oath of allegiance, $1, consolidated revenue of Canada. (4.) For certified copy of declaration with or without oath, $1, consolidated revenue of Canada.

The Presbyterians in Manitoba have been making great strides. From 1881 to 1886 they exhibited an increase of 15,000 or 104 per cent., and had passed from second place to a decided lead. In the same period of time the adherents of the Church of England increased from 13,715 to 23,306, and the Methodists from 9,382 to 14,648. Of the larger denominations the Roman Catholics show the least increase, only 25 per cent., the reason being that this church has benefited to a smaller extent than the others from the large immigration into the country since 1881.

The Japanese are rapidly adopting the European costume and European customs. Many of the official and trading classes dress like Europeans. So much is this the case that the import of broadcloth into Japan has nearly doubled since 1885. The Japanese ladies too are acquiring the arts of crochet work and knitting to such an extent that the import of Berlin wools has greatly increased. Brown sugar which the Japanese used exclusively a little while ago is now changed for white, and when they are sick they are trying to cure themselves with European medicines. They are cultivating a taste for meat diet and are even learning to drink bitter beer. We are not quite sure that too close an imitation of European habits in dress and food will improve this marvellously clever progressive race.

The census returns issued by the British Board of Trade for the month of August show that there left that country for the United States 23,077 persons, of whom 14,629 were English, 2,657 Scotch, and 5,791 Irish; for the Dominion of Canada, 4,160; for Australia, 2,334; and for all other places, 1,155. The total for the month was 30,726, as compared with 25,200 in the corresponding month of 1886. Besides these, 10,968 foreigners passed through the country for foreign parts, most of whom went to America. During the eight months ending August 31st the total number of British emigrants was 200,487, an increase of 41,344 upon last year. Of these 114,564 were English, 23,850 Scotch, and 62,073 Irish. 147,424 of the grand total went to the United States, 25,340 to Canada, 20,373 to Australasia, and 7,350 to all other places. Besides these, the total number of foreigners passing through the country in the eight months was 82,010.

Coquitlam Municipality.

A petition has been presented to His Honor the Lieut.-Governor praying for the creation of a new municipality, to be known as the municipality of Coquitlam, which will embrace that area of country in the Westminster district extending from the Pitt river southward to and including Lots 214 and 215 Group One in the aforesaid district. The western boundary will include the land lying inside the North Arm of Burrard Inlet. The memorialists are Messrs. R. B. Kelly, J. W. Telman, James Murray, J. Cote, W. Royal, A. W. Lunabrin, J. A. Clarke, Geo. Rocbald, C. T. Conners, E. A. Seemans, Jas. Simpson, W. Wise, Richard Banby, Donald McLean, Alex. McLean, J. R. Scott, Nichol Cameron, Geo. Armand, George Odin, H. Traine, A. J. Armand, John Frannie, R. J. W. Inglis, Joseph Taylor, N. E. Folet, John Johnston, A. Noon, George Thompson, R. D. Lake, A. W. Ross, R. T. Stow, M. P. Patterson, James Fox, Duncan McLellan, Alex McLean, David Murray, sr., M. Elson, S Decker, Joseph Dockrill, J. B. Giffin, C. A. Barnby, H. J. Moore, George Butchart, D. B. Grant and S. D. Bates.

California's Boom.

Many of our readers will remember Mr. James Preston, who left Victoria for Southern California a little over a year ago, where he located, selecting Riverside as his home, and in which he bought some real estate. Relating to a portion of his purchase, the Riverside *Press* of last week says: A. P. Combs sold yesterday for James Preston his beautiful residence and orange grove of 15 acres, to B. F. Allen for $32,500. Mr. Combs sold this same place, April 26, 1886, for Mr. Allen to Mr. Preston for $19,000. The present sale to the original owner is an advance of $13,500 in less than a year and a half, and proves in a conclusive manner the value of orange orchard property in Riverside, when an owner will buy an orchard back at such an advance. Mr. Preston sold the crop off of this place last year on the trees for $4500, a profit of 10 per cent on $45,000. There is one acre of Eureka lemons on the place, the finest lemon orchard in the valley, now loaded down to the ground with beautiful fruit.

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let that cold of yours run on. You think it is a light thing. But it may run into catarrh. Or into pneumonia. Or consumption.

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The First Sign

Of failing health, whether in the form of Night Sweats and Nervousness, or in a sense of General Weariness and Loss of Appetite, should suggest the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. This preparation is most effective for giving tone and strength to the enfeebled system, promoting the digestion and assimilation of food, restoring the nervous forces to their normal condition, and for purifying, enriching, and vitalizing the blood.

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I have used Ayer's Sarsaparilla, in my family, for Scrofula, and know, if it is taken faithfully, that it will thoroughly eradicate this terrible disease. I have also prescribed it as a tonic, as well as an alterative, and must say that I honestly believe it to be the best blood medicine ever compounded.—W. F. Fowler, M. D., D. D. S., Greenville, Tenn.

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It would be impossible for me to describe what I suffered from Indigestion and Headache up to the time I began taking Ayer's Sarsaparilla. I was under the care of various physicians, and tried a great many kinds of medicines, but never obtained more than temporary relief. After taking Ayer's Sarsaparilla for a short time, my headache disappeared, and my stomach performed its duties more perfectly. To-day my health is completely restored.—Mary Harley, Springfield, Mass.

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Notices.

"Land Registry Ordinance, 1870."

SUBDIVISION NO. 8 OF SECTION SAHI, VICTORIA DISTRICT.

WHEREAS the Certificate of Title of Richard Baker, late of Victoria, Province of British Columbia, to the above mentioned subdivision, bearing date the 26th day of February, 1872, has been lost, and application has been made for a duplicate of such certificate: Notice is therefore hereby given that such duplicate will be issued unless cause shown to the contrary, in writing, within one month from the date hereof.

CHAS. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office, Victoria,
28th September, 1887. sept29 1m

NOTICE.

Messrs. Rand Bros.

HAVING closed their Victoria Branch, all communications addressed to them will be attended to by the B. C. Land and Investment Company [L'd.] sept1 1m

Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway Company.

LAND DEPARTMENT.

Notice to Claimants under the "Act Relating to the Island Railway, the Graving Dock and Railway Lands of the Province."

The Company is now prepared to issue Conveyances of Title to all Claimants entitled to the same under the provisions of the above Act, and who have fulfilled the requirements of the British Columbia "Land Act, 1884."

R. DUNSMUIR,
President.

JOHN TRUTCH,
Land Commissioner.

Victoria, B. C., July 25th, 1887. july26

B. C. Milling and Mining Co.,

(LIMITED.)

Location of principal place of business, Victoria.

Location of Works ..... Cariboo.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Call No 15 of three cents per share, upon the members of the British Columbia Milling and Mining Company [Limited], made on the twenty-eighth day of July, A. D. 1887, is now due and unpaid in respect of the shares hereinafter specified, and that there is now due and unpaid upon the following described shares, on account of the said assessment, the amount set opposite the name of the holder of such shares, namely:—

Name.	No. of Certificate.	No. of Shares.	Am't.
Richard B Harper (part of)	473	31794	$9 53

The above mentioned shares, or so many thereof as will cover the amount due, with interest at the rate of one per cent per month from the sixteenth of August, A. D. 1887, and expenses, will be sold by public auction at the office of the Company, in the City of Victoria, British Columbia, on Saturday, the fifteenth day of October, 1887, at the hour of twelve o'clock at noon.

By order of the Directors.

GEO. A. SARGISON,
Secretary.

Dated at Victoria, 5th October, 1887. oct5 td

Quesnelle Quartz Mining Company

(LIMITED.)

Location of Works, Hixon Creek, B.C.

NOTICE is hereby given that at a meeting of the Trustees of said Company, held on the 28th September, 1887, an Assessment of One Cent per share was levied upon the capital stock of said Company, payable forthwith, at the office of the Company, Quesnelle, B. C.

Any stock upon which said assessment shall remain unpaid on the 31st October, 1887, shall be deemed delinquent and will be duly advertised for sale at public auction and unless payment shall be made before, will be sold on the 4th day of November, 1887, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of the sale.

W. A. JOHNSTON, Secretary.

Quesnelle, B. C., Sept. 29, 1887. oct6 D&W

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that we intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to lease, for timbering purposes, the following described land:

Commencing at a stake on the east shore of Jackson Bay, Topaze Harbor; thence north twenty [20] chains; thence west ten [10] chains; thence north twenty [20] chains; thence west ten [10] chains; thence north twenty [20] chains; thence west ten chains; thence north 20 chains; thence west ten [10] chains; thence north eighty chains; thence west forty [40] chains; thence south one hundred and twenty [120] chains; thence east thirty-five [35] chains; thence south twenty [20] chains; thence east thirty [30] chains to point of commencement, the whole containing six hundred and forty acres more and less.

CROFT & ANGUS.

Chemainus, B. C., October 1, 1887. oct5

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to cut and carry away timber from the following described land, situated at Jackson Bay, Topaze Harbor:

Commencing at a stake about forty chains northwest of Jackson Bay; thence west forty chains; thence north 40 chains; thence east 40 hundred chains; thence south forty chains; thence east twenty chains; thence south forty chains; thence west sixty chains; thence north forty chains; thence west forty chains to point of commencement, containing six hundred and forty acres more or less.

F. W. SWETT.

October 3, 1887. oct6 1m

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Victoria Water Works

Regulation By-Law.

Until otherwise ordered by the Water Commissioner by notice to be published seven days before taking effect, from the 1st day of April to the 30th day of September, both inclusive in each year, no consumer of the water of the said Water Works shall use such water for irrigating or street sprinkling except during the hours between five o'clock in the evening on the respective days mentioned and nine o'clock in the next following morning, namely:

In YATES STREET WARD, on Mondays and Thursdays.

In JAMES' BAY WARD, on Tuesdays and Fridays; and

In JOHNSON STREET WARD, on Wednesdays and Saturdays.

And the water of the said Water Works shall not be used for irrigating or street sprinkling outside of the limits of the said city. Consumers of water of the said Water Works will please note the above and govern themselves accordingly, as the Bylaw will be strictly enforced.

THOMAS RUSSELL,
Water Commissioner.

City Hall, May 27, 1887. may27

John Meston,

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CHAPTER XX.—Continued.

Nasta's wild swordsmen were now breaking in red waves against the zulu rock like squares. Time after time did they yell out their war cries, and hurl themselves furiously against the long triple ridges of spear points, only to be rolled back as billows are when they meet the cliff.

And so for four long hours the battle raged almost without a pause, and at the end of that time, if we had gained nothing we had lost nothing. Two attempts to turn our left flank, by forcing a way through the wood by which it was protected, had been defeated; and as yet Nasta's swordsmen had, notwithstanding their desperate efforts, entirely failed to break Good's three squares, though they had thinned their numbers by quite a third.

As for the chest of the army, where Sir Henry was with his staff and Umslopogaas, it had suffered dreadfully, but it had held its own with honor, and the same may be said of our left battle.

At last the attacks slackened and Sorais' army drew back, having, I began to think, had enough of it. On this point, however, I was soon undeceived, for, splitting up her cavalry into comparatively small squadrons, she charged us furiously with them all along the line and then once more rolled her tens of thousands of sword and spear men down upon our weakened squares and squadrons—Sorais herself directing the movement and, fearless as a lioness, heading the main attack. On they came like an avalanche—I saw her golden helm gleaming in the van—our counter charges of cavalry entirely failing to check their forward sweep. Now they had struck us, and our center bent in like a bow beneath the weight of their rush—it parted, and had not the 10,000 men in reserve charged down to its support it must have been destroyed. As for Good's three squares, they were swept backward like boats upon an incoming tide and the foremost one was burst into and lost half its remaining men. But the effort was too fierce and terrible to last. Suddenly the battle came, as it were, to a turning point and for a minute or two stood still.

Then it began to move toward Sorais' camp. Just then, too, Nasta's fierce and almost invincible highlanders, either because they were disheartened by their losses or by way of a ruse, fell back and the remains of Good's gallant squares, leaving the positions they had held for so many hours, cheered wildly and rashly followed them down the slope, whereon the swarms of swordsmen turned to envelop them and once more flung themselves upon them with a yell. Taken thus on every side, what remained of the first square was quickly destroyed, and I perceived that the second, in which I could see Good himself on a large horse, was on the point of annihilation. A few minutes more and it was broken, its streaming colors sank, and I lost sight of Good in the confused and hideous slaughter that ensued.

Presently, however, a cream colored horse with a snow white mane and tail burst from the ruins of the square and came racing past me riderless and with wide streaming reins, and in it I recognized the charger that Good had been riding. Then I hesitated no longer, but taking with me half my effective cavalry force, which now amounted to between 4,000 and 5,000 men, I commended myself to God, and without waiting for orders I charged straight down upon Nasta's swordsmen. Seeing me coming and being warned by the thunder of my horses' hoofs, the majority of them faced round and gave us a right warm welcome. Not an inch would they yield; in vain did we hack and trample them down as we plowed a broad red furrow through their thousands; they seemed to rearise by hundreds, driving their terrible sharp swords into our horses or severing their hamstrings and then hacking the troopers who came to the ground with them almost into pieces. My horse was speedily killed under me, but luckily I had a fresh one, my own favorite, a coal black mare Nyleptha had given me being held in reserve behind, and on this I afterward mounted. Meanwhile I had to get along as best I could, for I was pretty well lost sight of by my men in the mad confusion of the moment. My voice, of course, could not be heard in the midst of the clanging of steel and the shrieks of rage and agony. Presently I found myself mixed up with the remnants of the square, which had formed round Ra leader, Good, and was fighting desperately for existence. I stumbled against somebody, and, glancing down, caught sight of Good's eyeglass. He had been beaten to his knee. Over him was a great fellow, swinging a heavy sword. Somehow I managed to run the man through with the sime I had taken from the Masai whose hand I had cut off; but as I did so he dealt me a frightful blow in the left side and breast with the sword, and, though my chain shirt saved my life, I felt that I was badly hurt. For a minute I fell on to my hands and knees among the dead and dying, and turned sick and faint. When I came to again I saw that Nasta's spearmen, or rather those of them that remained, were retreating back across the stream, and that Good was there by me smiling beamingly.

"Near go that," he shouted, "but all's well that ends well."

I assented, but I could not help feeling that it had not ended well for me. I was sorely hurt.

Just then we saw the smaller bodies of cavalry stationed on our extreme right and left, and which were now re-enforced by the 3,000 sabers which we had held in reserve, flash out like arrows from their posts and fall upon the disordered flanks of Sorais' forces, and that charge decided the issue of the battle. In another minute or two the enemy was in slow and sullen retreat across the little stream, where they once more reformed. Then came another lull, during which I managed to get my second horse and received my orders to advance from Sir Henry, and then, with one fierce, deep throated roar, with a waving of banners and a wide flashing of steel, the remains of our army took the offensive and began to sweep down, slowly indeed, but irresistibly, from the positions they had so gallantly held all day.

At last it was our turn to attack.

On we moved, over the piled up masses of dead and dying, and were approaching the stream when suddenly I perceived an extraordinary sight. Galloping wildly toward us, his arms tightly clasped around his horse's neck, against which his blanched cheek was tightly pressed, was a man arrayed in the full costume of a Zu-Vendi general, but in whom, as he came nearer, I recognized none other than our lost Alphonse. It was impossible even then to mistake those curling black mustaches. In a minute he was tearing through our ranks and narrowly escaped being cut down, till at last somebody caught his horse's bridle, and he was brought to me just as a momentary halt occurred in our advance to allow what remained of our shattered squares to form into line.

"Ah, monsieur," he gasped out, in a voice that was nearly inarticulate with fright, "grace to the sky, it is you! Ah, what I have endured! But you win, monsieur—you win; they fly, the laches. But listen, monsieur—I forget, it is no good; the queen is to be murdered to-morrow at the first light in the place of Milosis; her guards will leave their posts and the priests are going to kill her. Ah yes! they little thought it, but I was ensconced beneath a tanner, and I heard it all."

"What!" I said, horror struck, "what do you mean?"

"What I say, monsieur; that devil of a Nasta, he went last night to with the affair with the arch-bishop" (Agon). "The guard will leave open the gate leading from the great stair and go away, and Nasta and Agon's priests will come in and kill her. Themselves they would not kill her."

"Come with me," I said, and shouting to the staff officer next me to take over the command, I snatched his bridle and galloped as hard as I could for the spot, between a quarter and half a mile off, where I saw the royal pennon flying, and where I knew that I should find Curtis if he were still alive. On we tore, our horses clearing heaps of dead and dying men, and splashing through pools of blood; on past the long broken lines of spearmen to where, mounted on the white stallion Nyleptha had sent to him as a parting gift, I saw Sir Henry's form towering above the generals who surrounded him.

Just as we reached him the advance began again. A bloody cloth was bound around his head, but I saw that his eye was as bright and keen as ever. Beside him was old Umslopogaas, his ax red with blood, but looking quite fresh and uninjured.

"What's wrong, Quatermain?" he shouted.

"Everything. There is a plot to murder the queen to-morrow at dawn. Alphonse here, who has just escaped from Sorais, has overheard it all," and I rapidly repeated to him what the Frenchman had told me.

Curtis' face turned deadly pale and his jaw dropped.

"At dawn!" he gasped, "and it is now sunset. It dawns before 4, and we are nearly 100 miles off—nine hours at the outside. What is to be done?"

An idea entered into my head. "Is that horse of yours fresh?" I said.

"Yes, I have only just got on to him—when my last was killed; and he has been fed."

"So is mine. Get off him, and let Umslopogaas mount; he can ride well. We will be at Milosis before dawn, or if we are not—well, we cannot help it. No, no; it is impossible for you to leave now. You would be seen, and it would turn the fate of the battle. It is not won yet. The soldiers would think you were making a bolt of it. Quick now."

In a moment he was down, and at my bidding Umslopogaas sprang into the empty saddle.

"Now farewell," I said. "Send 1,000 horsemen with remounts after us in an hour if possible. Stay; dispatch a general to the left wing to take over the command and explain my absence."

"You will do your best to save her, Quatermain?" he said, in a broken voice.

"Ay, that I will. Go on; you are being left behind."

He cast one glance at us, and accompanied by his staff galloped off to join the advance, which by this time was fording the little brook that now ran red with the blood of the fallen.

As for Umslopogaas and myself, we left that dreadful field as arrows leave a bow, and in a few minutes had passed right out of the sight of slaughter, the smell of blood, and the turmoil and shouting, which only came to our ears as a faint, far off roaring, like the sound of distant breakers.

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Bran "	23 00 25 00
Ground feed "	30 00 32 00
Oil Cake "	37 00 40 00
Corn, whole, "	36 00 38 00
Corn, cracked "	36 00 38 00
Corn Meal per 100 lbs	3 00 3 00
Oatmeal "	0 00 4 25
Beans, large white, 100 lbs	3 75 3 75
" small white, "	3 00 3 00
" Baye "	3 50 3 50
Peas for feed "	1 50 0 00
Potatoes "	1 00 1 25
Onions "	1 50 1 50
Hay per ton, baled	20 00 00 00
Straw per bale	1 00 1 25
Apples per box, imported	1 50 1 50
Peaches "	1 50 1 75
Plums per box	1 25 1 50
Lemons, California, per box	5 00 5 75
" Sicily "	8 00 8 00
Melons per crate	0 00 0 00
Bananas, bunch	4 50 4 75
Grapes per box	1 25 1 50
Grapes, crated	1 50 1 75
Tomatoes per box	1 50 1 50
Eggs per dozen, Island	40 0 00
" imported	35 0 00
Butter, roll, Island, per lb	30 0 35
" imported	30 32
" tub or firkin, imported	24 29
Cheese, local	15 0 00
" Canadian	15 0 00
" imported, California	15 16
Ham, Canadian	15 16
" American	16 18
Bacon, Canadian, breakfast	14 00
" American "	14 16
Shoulders	12 00
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Sugars, according to grades from	6 9
Tea, Japan	30 45
" Congou	30 35
" English breakfast	45 65
Coffee, Costa Rica, green	25 28
" Old Government Java	27 30
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Tobacco, T & B plug, per lb	56 57
Cut tobacco, T & B	68 70
Tobacco, J B Pace's	65 71
" Climax, chewing	70 1 00
Oil, Am., illuminat'g, p cs 10 gal	2 75
" Canadian, " "	2 50 2 75
" Lubricating " "	25 1 25
Cut nails, 10 to 20 dy, p k 100 lbs	4 25 00
" " 3 dy and 9 dy	4 50 00
" " 6 dy and 7 dy	4 75 00
" " 4 dy and 5 dy	5 00 00
Horse nails, point and fine	4 50 4 75
Rope, Manilla	13 15
Rosin	12 14
Axes, Columbia, per doz	16 00 18 00
Meats—Beef per lb	8 10
" Mutton "	8 10
" Lamb "	15 18
" Veal "	15 18
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Whiskies—Scotch, qts	8 00 00
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Wines—Port, common	3 00 000
" Fine, old	4 00 6 00
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Ales—English, 6 doz cases, pts	11 25 12 50
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Livers	8 10
Tongues	50 75
Shanks	50 60
Pork, roast and steaks, per lb	15 16
Pork, carcass, per lb	12 13
Pork, pickled, per lb	12 15
Pork, long clear bacon, per lb	15 20
Pork, bacon smoked, per lb	18 20
Pork, ham sugar-cured, per lb	18 20
Sausage, per lb	20 25
Mutton, carcass, per lb	8 10
" legs and chops	— 10
Veal, carcass, per lb	8 10
" roast, per lb	10 12
Sugar, granulated, per lb	10 —
" " brown, per lb	8 9
" loaf, per lb	12 13
Cheese, per lb	20 25
Bread, per loaf	8 10
Dried apples	10 20
Potatoes	1 2
Hay, per ton, pressed	25 00 27 50
Flour, per bbl	5 25 6 00
Bran, per lb	00 1½ 00 00
Shorts, per lb	00 1½ 00 00
Oats, per lb	00 1½ 00 00
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Land Applications.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land, situated and described as follows:

Commencing at N. E. corner of B. E. Jackson's claim; thence due north 40 chains, thence due west 160 chains, more or less, to Sooke River, thence southerly along Sooke river 40 chains thence due east 160 chains to point of commencement.

M. W. TYRWHITT DRAKE.
Victoria, B. C., 8th Dec. 1887. dec 8 law-tf

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend to make application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for leave to purchase 640 acres of land, situated and described as follows:

Commencing at northwest corner of B. E. Jackson's claim, thence due west 40 chains, more or less, to Sooke river, thence southerly following Sooke river to the north boundary of Section 49, Sooke District; thence N. E. along said boundary line to the northeast corner of said Section 49; thence southerly along the eastern boundaries of Sections 49, 48, 47, 46, Sooke District, thence easterly along the north boundaries of Sections 50, 51, and 52 to western boundary of B. E. Jackson's claim, thence due north to point of commencement.

MATTHEW T. JOHNSTON.
Victoria, B. C., 8th Dec. 1887. dec 8 law

NOTICE.—Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase one hundred and sixty acres pastoral land, situated on Salt Spring Island, Cowichan District, commencing at the northwest corner of Piercy Roberts' pre-emption claim, then following the meanderings of the shore line to the northeast corner of Pottinger's claim to point of commencement. The above is the land formerly occupied by John Henning, and now abandoned by him.

A. R. JOHNSTON.
Salt Spring Island, Aug. 15, 1887. au16 2m law

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land in Rupert District, Vancouver Island, and described as follows:

Commencing at the southeast corner of Lot No. 19; thence true south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to point of commencement.

A. A. GREEN.
F. G. RICHARDS, Jr.
August 26, 1887. sep2 law2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land situated and described as follows:

Commencing at N. E. corner of Section 56 Sooke District, thence due north 80 chains, thence due west 80 chains, thence due south 100 chains to N. E. corner of Section 52, thence in a northeasterly direction to point of commencement.

B. E. JACKSON.
Victoria B. C. 6th Dec. 1886. dec 6 law-tf

NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiration of sixty days from this date I shall apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of pastoral land situate on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows:

Sections thirty-five, thirty-six, thirty-nine, forty-two, forty-three, east half of forty-six, southeast half of forty-seven on the map deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

S. M. ROBINS.
W. Tyrwhitt Drake.
Dated 11th July, 1887. Pp M. july14 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiration of sixty days from this date I shall apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 200 acres of pastoral land situate on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows:

Sections ninety-four, ninety-five, ninety-six and ninety-seven on the map deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

S. M. ROBINS.
Pp. M. W. T. Drake.
Dated 11th July, 1887. july14 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiration of sixty days from this date I shall apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of pastoral land situated on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows:

Sections eighty-four, eighty-five, ninety, ninety-one and ninety-two on the map deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

S. M. ROBINS.
Pp. M. W. T. Drake.
Dated 11th July, 1887. july14 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiry of sixty days from this date I shall apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of pastoral land situate on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows:

Sections seventy-one, seventy-two, north half of seventy-three, seventy-five, seventy-six and seventy-seven on the map deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

S. M. ROBINS.
Pp. M. W. T. Drake.
Dated 11th July, 1887. July 14 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that we intend to make application, two months after date, to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase one hundred and sixty acres, more or less, of pastoral lands, said lands being the Islands in Oyster Harbor, Nanaimo District.

ALFRED RAPER.
ELIJAH PRIEST.
Nanaimo, B. C., July 5, 1887. jal12 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that sixty days after date I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase all the land comprised in the group of Islands lying off Montague Harbor, Galiano Island, Cowichan District, viz.: the unoccupied portion of Parker Island, Twin Islands, Wise Island, Charles Island, Julia Island, Sphynx Island, and Retreat Island off Retreat Cove; also the three Islands not named on chart, the whole comprising about 400 acres.

A. R. JOHNSTON.
July 30, 1887. aug law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that sixty days after date I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase all the unoccupied and vacant land on the north end of Thetis Island, contiguous to the pre-emption claim of Charles Rivers, containing 320 acres, more or less; also Tent Island, lying southeast of Keeper Island, containing thirty acres, more or less, Cowichan District.

GEO. THOMSON.
August 1, 1887. aug law 2m

NOTICE.—Sixty days after date I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase all the pastoral land on Narrow Island, Trincomalee Channel, Cowichan District, said to contain one hundred and sixty acres, more or less, said island being the abandoned pre-emption claim of J. A. Hutson.

A. R. JOHNSTON.
Narrow Island, Aug. 15, 1887. aug16 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiration of sixty days from this date, I shall apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of pastoral land, situate on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows: Sections thirty-four, thirty-five, ninety, ninety-one and ninety-two on the map deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

S. M. ROBINS.
Pp. M. W. T. Drake.
Dated 11th July, 1887. july14 law2m

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Commencing at the southeast corner of Section 53, Range 1, Cowichan District, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to the point of commencement.

MOSES U. IRELAND.
Victoria, 1st Sept., 1887. sep 2 1m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, for permission to purchase 160 acres of land, situated on East side of upper Columbia lake, on a small Creek about 3½ miles South of Armstring Creek; the South East corner of said land to commence at an initial stake on said Creek and run thence North ½ mile, thence West ½ mile to shore of lake, thence South ½ mile along lake shore and thence East ½ mile to initial stake.

WM. HARDIE.
Columbia Lakes, Kootenay B. C. April 20th 1887. my 21-law-2m

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LOT 2

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Steamers for HOPE and WAY LANDINGS leave New Westminster every Tuesday. For CHILLIWHACK and WAY LANDINGS every Tuesday and Saturday at 7 a. m.

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The Daily Times.

PUBLISHED EVERY AFTERNOON EXCEPT SUNDAY.

Victoria, Wednesday, Oct. 12, 1887.

CITY AND PROVINCE.

—Mr. A. J. McColl, barrister, New Westminster, is in the city.

—Alderman Alexander and I. Oppenheimer of Vancouver are in the city.

EASTERN TOWNSHIP'S BUTTER at Neufelder & Ross'. *

—Mr. Sam. Gray, mine host of the Chemainus Hotel is in the city to-day.

—Mens', Youths', and Boys' Rubber Coats at reduced prices, at Jeffrees', Yates St. *

—Photographic views along the line of the C. P. R. in B. C., and views of Alaska, for sale at R. MAYNARD'S, Douglas St. *

—The Idaho is expected every moment at the outer wharf. She will leave to-night for the north.

—Strong, serviceable umbrellas, suitable for school children, 75c each, at Jeffrees', Yates St. *

—Six Chinese peddlars were brought to the lock-up to-day; their baskets will remain in the hands of the police until they produce peddlars' licences.

The only place in the city for a glass of British Beer on draught is the Occidental Hotel. XXX Edinburgh and XXX Burton. WM. JENSEN.

☐—Several hack drivers will appear in the Provincial Court to-morrow, charged with driving over Point Ellice bridge at a pace faster than a walk.

—You can have Brown's celebrated CLIMAX WASHING POWDER at greatly reduced prices, manufactured by PENDRAY & Co., Humboldt-street, Victoria. *

—See the new dress stuff that is selling at the Lansdowne House, Yates street. 8 yards for $1.

JOHN PARTRIDGE, Proprietor. *

—Pendray & Co. have only sent a part of their No. 1 soap east. You can have your orders promptly filled by them on Humboldt street. *

—Families requiring extra quantities of sugar for preserving purposes will find it to their advantage to purchase at FELL & Co's. *

—Tomb and Headstones, Monuments, in Marble, imported and local Granite, Mantle pieces and Wash Stands in Marble, artistically executed, and at reasonable rates, at George Rudge's Marble Works, Douglas street, Victoria. Call and see specimens of work. *

—A potato grown in the penitentiary garden is on exhibition in the Bank of B. C., Westminster, and attracts a good deal of attention. It is in the shape of a T and weighs 4 lbs.

—The people east are good judges of soap, that's just the reason they buy largely of Pendray & Co. We keep a full stock on hand of soap that is soap. You try it. *

—Another shipment of ladies' and children's tweed ulsters, felt and straw hats, new wool goods, black silk umbrellas, hosiery, gloves, etc., etc. Lansdowne House, Yates street.

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—REDUCED PRICES:—Just received over 250 patterns fine mouldings, steel engravings and all latest pictures in stock. Framing and mounting a specialty. JOS. SOMMERS, Government street. *

—Many forget that the head and scalp need cleansing. Extensive use of Ayer's Hair Vigor has proven that it is the best cleansing agent for the hair—that it prevents dandruff and stimulates the hair to renewed growth. *

—The annual exhibition of the Saanich agricultural show takes place to-morrow on the show grounds, some 14 miles out from this city. There will be a dance in the evening. A large number intend being present from the city.

—Winnipeg already has had its first snow storm. The beautiful fell on Thursday night. The flakes were small and light, but remained on the ground until there was quite a thin white coating over this section of creation.

—For years I suffered from loss of appetite and indigestion, but failed to find relief until I began taking Ayer's Sarsaparilla. This medicine entirely cured me. My appetite and digestion are now perfect."—Fred. G. Bower, 496 Seventh street, South Boston, Mass. *

—There is some talk of moving the sawmill now at Somiahmoo to Elgin Mud Bay. The owners have made a proposition to the residents of the municipality, which has not yet been accepted, but a meeting will be held in the school house this week to decide on what will be done about it.

—At Vancouver, Messrs. Leamy & Kyle have a large number of pile drivers for their factory. It is a little east of the round house, and nearly opposite Cambie street. A siding is being laid down to the factory. The same firm have another factory on the opposite side of False Creek.

—Says the *Columbian* of last Saturday: There seems to be no diminishment in the amount of freight arriving and departing via the C.P.R. and C.P.N. Co. Yesterday the number of cars handled was 13, seven of which were shipped east, and six received from eastern points for this city and Victoria.

—Messrs. Springer and Van Bremer, of Moodyville, are erecting on Hastings street, Vancouver, opposite the Leland House, a block of brick and galvanized iron. It will have a frontage of 32 feet on Hastings street and entrance to this building will be gained by a door 6 feet in width. Stores will be fitted up on the ground floor and the upper portion of the building which is to be of two stories will be used for offices.

The Latest.

Who's that Calling so Sweet	Song
Rally Round the Flag	Song
The Red Lamp	Waltz
Manilena	Waltz
Dewdrops	Song
To One Alone	Song

At Lombard & Co.'s Music store. *

New Drug Store.

R. Atwood & Co. have opened their drug store on Government street, next door to Neufelder & Ross, where can be found a full line of drugs, chemicals, toilet articles, patent medicines, etc., etc. Physicians' prescriptions carefully compounded. R. ATWOOD & CO. *

Vancouver, B. C.

Rand Bros., Real Estate Brokers, have their office on Cordova Street. *

Pianos.

Received a lot of the well known C Ronisch beautiful pianos. Come and see them before you buy. H. PETERS, corner Douglas and Discovery streets. *

The Right Place.

THE RIGHT PLACE for Gum Boots, Rubbers, and all kinds of Overshoes, is at Erskine's Boot & Shoe Emporium, corner Government & Johnson Sts. *

Too True.

Anderson & Hastie are still giving bargains in all kinds of furniture, including parlor, bedroom and dining, window shades and picture frames. *

Fire Alarm.

The alarm at 4 o'clock this morning was caused by a slight fire in a house of ill-repute on Broad street, near Yates. The police, assisted by a number of bluejackets, extinguished the blaze before the firemen arrived. The fire is supposed to be the work of an incendiary.

Christmas Presents.

Those wishing above would do well to send their orders at once to insure their being in time and to prevent disappointment to W. H. Pennock, Practical Jeweller & Diamond Setter. Gold plating and general repairs. Denny's Block, upstairs, Government St. Best Quality, Latest Styles, Reasonable Prices. *

The West Shore Railway.

Mr. H. Crawford of the Seattle & West Shore Railway came over on the Sound steamer to-day as the guest of Mr. Chas. E. Perry, who is one of the contractors on the line, who also was a passenger. These gentlemen report rapid progress being made with the first contract and that it will be ready for the rails and ballasting in a few weeks now.

☞ **Roller Skating Rink Open Every Day.**

Rapid Transit.

The New York journals make special mention of a train of seventeen cars loaded with tea, silk and fire crackers from China for that city via the C. P. R. which reached New York in ten days from Vancouver. The New York *Star* says: The old lines were astonished, as sixteen days has heretofore been considered very fast time. The new line is composed of the Canadian Pacific, Rome, Watertown and Ogdensburg, and the New York, Ontario and Western railways.

Smoke "Creme de la Creme" Cigars.

Important.

The goods damaged by water in consequence of the *fire* in the Arcade building will be sold at private sale commencing on Tuesday at Spencer's Arcade. Brussels Carpets, Tapestry Carpet, Felt and Hemp Carpet, Rope Matting, Kidderminster and Three-ply Carpets, Hearthrugs, Mats.

Men's and Boys' Hats, Caps, Ties, Gloves, Shirts, Socks, Underwear; also the goods damaged by the smoke. All goods will be marked in plain figures and sold for cash only. *

Really! The Creme de la Creme.

Future Punishment.

OR Does Death End Probation? is the title of a book which is now being introduced in this city. This is the most able, interesting and scholarly discussion of the subject that has yet been written, and we predict for it a large circulation in the west, as it has already had in the east. The Rev. Dr. Cochrane, of Brantford, Ont., is the author. This in itself is sufficient guarantee of its excellence. Messrs. Carrick and Jackson, two enterprising young men from Brantford, are the representatives for this district, and we wish them that success which they deserve in such an undertaking.

Creme de la Creme Cigars; A. B. Gray & Co., Agents.

The Minstrels Last Night.

The Emerson Minstrels attracted a full house last night at the Victoria. Many of the old timers remembered "Billy" when he last appeared here, some ten years since, and gave him and his company a bumper house. These knights of the burned cork well sustained their reputation of being one of the best of Ethiopian troupes on the road. Each performance received a deserved *encore*. Where all are so thoroughly good it would be impossible to distinguish between them. The clog dancing was one of the gems of the evening. To-night they appear for the last time, when another full house is certain to greet them.

Black and Tan Cigars.

Sporting Notes.

It has been several times suggested through the daily press here to introduce black bass into some of our lakes, and we are again reminded of the rare sport that this popular fish affords by noticing that at Wyalusing, Penn., in the Susquahanna River, a specimen of the small mouth black bass, weighing 7¾ lbs., was lately caught by Mr. S. Evans. Anglers acquainted with this fish will appreciate such a magnificent catch. It is a fact that people travel hundreds of miles to the sport mentioned for the pleasure of this class of fishing, which is so attractive as to make the introduction of the bass into our fresh waters well worthy of trial.

Gladstone Cigars.

Sunday School Entertainment.

The entertainment in connection with the Pandora Street Wesleyan Methodist Sabbath School on Tuesday evening was a decided success. Mrs. Gall's training of the school children in rendering selections of vocal music was the general theme of admiration. The chair was occupied by Mr. J. B. Ferguson. The programme embraced solos, recitations, and choruses. The young people taking part in the programme performed their parts well. A marked improvement was noticeable in the orchestra. All present were delighted with the entertainment and expressed the hope that it would again be repeated at an early date.

Tony Cigars.

A Prodigious Yield.

As illustrating the prolific quality of the soil of British Columbia, the New Westminster *Columbian* of last Saturday narrates the following: Mr. Wm. Nicholls, of the Gold Park farm, Sea Island, was in town to-day, and before leaving showed us a sample of hard wheat grown on his farm. Last winter he brought from the east 100 pounds of this wheat and sowed it in April. A week ago the wheat was threshed, and it was found the 100 pounds had yielded 8,400 pounds or 140 bushels. This is a splendid yield and only goes to show what the land along the Fraser is capable of.

Obituary.

Mrs. Steele, mother-in-law of Mr. J. L. Stanford, of British Columbia Construction Company, died at that gentleman's residence last Saturday morning. The body was embalmed and sent east for interment. Her former home was in the township of East Flamboro', where her relatives reside. The funeral ceremonies took place yesterday. The death of Mrs. Steele is peculiarly sad, as she was only on a visit to this coast when attacked with the fatal illness that caused her death. She had made a large number of friends in Westminster during her stay and was a universal favorite.

A Pioneer Steamer.

The H. B. Co. are building a steamer to ply on the Athabasca river. Her length is 144 feet keel and 26 feet beam, a stern wheeler, with a couple of engines havin a 12x42 inch stroke. Her route will be from the landing down the Athabasca to the Grand Rapids, 150 miles, and up the Athabasca and Lesser Slave river to the head of Lesser Slave lake, 150 miles, or 300 miles in all. She may also attempt the Athabasca above the mouth of Lesser Slave river, but that part of the river is so swift that there is little possibility of her reaching any great distance above Slave river. The boat will be built on plans drawn by Capt. Smith, who will supply the missing link in the chain of steamboat communication reaching from Winnipeg to the Arctic ocean, all owned and operated either directly or indirectly by the H. B. Co., and will completely establish the Northern trade by the Edmonton route.

The Sealing and Whaling Scheme.

Concerning the item in THE TIMES of Tuesday, on the formation of a company for the prosecution of the seal, whaling and fishery industry, it was premature to state that a prospectus had been issued. The document from which we gathered our information was for private circulation only. The statement made that the vessels named were to form a basis of the organization at the price of $45,000 is, we are assured, misleading. The intention is not to sell, or offer for sale, the vessels named until the company is duly organized and directors appointed. This accomplished it will be their duty to consider offers which may be made as well as to appraise the value, and report upon the condition of these and other vessels, now under consideration. We understand the promoters are meeting with encouraging success; there being a certainty now that the scheme will be successfully floated. Victoria will be greatly benefited by being the headquarters for such a strong financial concern as this undoubtedly will be.

Overland Freight.

The Mexico's consignee list embraced the following for eastern points and this province on her last trip. For eastern cities over the C. P. R. she carried for

Chicago, goods valued at	$19,949
New York	12,820
Boston	11,166
Philadelphia	3,300
Albany, N. Y.	908
Minneapolis	700
Total Eastern	$48,033
British Columbia	9,365
Grand total	$58,058

The shipments to eastern cities included the following: To Chicago—80,704 lbs dried fruit, 89,870 lbs coffee, 729 sks beans. To New York—28,150 lbs wool, 103 crates oiled clothing. To Boston—29,662 lbs wool, 414 sks beans. To Philadelphia—22,575 lbs dried fruit. To Albany—80 bbls salmon. To Minneapolis—243 sks beans.

The shipments to British Columbia included 236 cs canned and 40 bxs dried fruit, 34 cs canned goods, 228 ctls barley, 500 lbs rice, 3,332 lbs hams and bacon, 2,707 cocoanut oil, 830 lbs tobacco, 102 galls and 50 cs wine, 24 galls brandy, 28 cs whisky, 15 cs honey, 6,000 cartridges, 1 cs guns, 90 bbls plaster, 3 rolls leather, 3,840 pcs roofing slate, 130 sks malt.

Tourists Coming.

Following are the names of a few of the most prominent parties who are now on their way to the city from Winnipeg. They are expected here on Friday evening. They are: Mr and Mrs Horace McDougall, Miss Frank Elliott, J C Hayes, L M Harrison, Mrs Dr McCloud, T C Livingston, Mrs J McLeod, Mrs C D Bush and daughter, T D Cumberland, D W Buchanan, Mr and Mrs Geo Foulds, P D McKinnon, Mr O'Connor (Queen's Hotel), Alex Haggart, John Spring, J G Hargrave, W M Stevenson, A A Jackson, C B Keenleyside, A E Ferte, Mr and Mrs Jones, Mr and Mrs Joseph Tees, Miss Webster, Miss Peters, Capt D W McMillan, J J Morton, J J Fanning, E D Carey, Ald E F Hutchings, W Hudson, W F King, O J Klotz, Mr Dodge, W W Southern, Mrs Dr Blanchard, Mrs Murray, Mrs D W Cumming (Birtie), F W Winter, Rev J J Morton and wife, Mr E Everett, P Whittaker, Dr Dufresne, Mr Stephenson.

In addition to the foregoing the *Call* states that reports received from outside stations it is estimated that between three and four hundred people will join the excursion to the Coast, which leaves here on Tuesday next. If this estimate is correct, a special train, consisting of Pullman and colonist sleepers and a dining car, will be placed at the disposal of the party, and will leave shortly after the regular train. Those who intend going in the colonist sleepers can procure mattresses at the depot before starting for $1 each. The officials having charge of the excursion are making every arrangement that will tend to the comfort of the excursionists.

FROM TORONTO.

A party comprising Mr. H. J. Nolan, Chief Clerk of the Rossin House and wife, the Hon. Stephen Richards, brother to the Hon. A. N. Richards, of this city, all of Toronto, left the Queen City on Wednesday last for Victoria on a six weeks' trip. They will be joined by Mr. W. C. Caldwell, ex-M. P. P., Mrs Caldwell and son, and Mr. Boyd Caldwell and son of Lanark. The journey will be made by the Canadian Pacific Railway to Victoria and thence by a Pacific Mail steamer to San Francisco. Mr. and Mrs. Nolan will spend most of the time at their disposal in California with relatives at Los Angeles, visiting all other points of interest as well. Mr. Nolan has been selected to manage the party, and from the careful study he has given to the guide books it is expected he will justify the confidence of his companions. Stopovers will be made at Winnipeg, Banff and other places on the Canadian Pacific Railway.

English Window Glass, 16 oz., all sizes; also Stained and Enamelled Glass, at Muirhead and Mann's Sash and Door Factory.

DISTINGUISHED VISITORS

Arrive from the East on Tuesday Night—Who they Are.

Amongst the arrivals from the mainland last night were Lord de Vesci, Mr. M. H. Shaw-Stewart, M. P., and Mr. John Forrest and wife, of Western Australia.

Viscount De Vesci was only an Irish peer till 1884, when Mr. Gladstone made him a real peer with a seat in the House of Lords in his own right. Of course he is a Liberal. He married a Scotch wife, the daughter of Lord Elcho, late M. P. for Haddington-shire, who was a somewhat prominent personage, before he was entombed in the House of Lords as Baron Wemyss. Lord De Vesci owns 17,000 acres and has a rent roll of $225,000 a year. He is a retired Major of the Coldstream Guards.

Mr. Michael Hugh Shaw-Stewart, M. P. for East Renfrew, has an hereditary connection with Renfrewshire, Scotland, in which county he was born and brought up, being the eldest son of Sir Michael Shaw-Stewart, who owns half the county, including the important town of Greenock. He is 33 years of age; and has rather a boyish look. He is in favor of extending the principle of local government to all parts of the United Kingdom.

The Hon. John Forrest is Minister of Public Works for Western Australia. He is a native of that country. Is a tall, stout gentleman with a bronzed face and dark beard. Although he has seen much to admire in Canada he prefers his native land to any he has yet come across. Mr. Forrest has made a name for himself as an explorer, having been, in 1869, selected to command an expedition into the interior to search for Dr. Leighart, a noted traveler, and his party, and a year later an expedition from Perth to Adelaide, a distance by the route taken of about 2,000 miles. For these and other services to science Mr. Forrest has been made a fellow of the British Royal Geographical Society as well as honorary fellow of similar organizations in Italy, Austria and Russia. He states that the work of exploring the interior of the Australian island is now complete and that there are no great problems in connection with it to be solved. The government of which Mr. Forrest is a member, is not responsible to the people, the Colony still being governed by appointive officers. But the growth of Liberal sentiment has made itself felt, and it is expected that a system of responsible government will soon be inaugurated.

SEWERAGE AGAIN.

Further Light Wanted—Mr. Keefer to be Consulted.

Coun. Barnard has given notice of the following motion, which he proposes to move to-night at the Council meeting:

"Notice is hereby given that I shall at the next regular meeting of the City Council move that the sewerage or drainage committee be empowered to retain the services of Mr. T. C. Keefer, C. M. G., for an opinion upon the plans, specifications and estimates of cost prepared by Messrs. Pickering & Crompton for the carrying out of a sewerage system for the city, and for any further information that may be elicited from Mr. Keefer on this important question."

We do not know what Mr. Barnard is aiming at, but if it is proposed to have Mr. Keefer go thoroughly into the sewerage scheme submitted by Mr. Pickering, for which work a large fee will necessarily have to be paid, we are of opinion that the proposal will not commend itself to the citizens of this unfortunate city, whose greatest trouble seems to be too much advice and too little action. Mr. Pickering's sewerage scheme was the result of the action of the Council of 1885, which advertised for plans for sewering the city. Out of the number received, Mr. Pickering's was selected and paid for, and it already has cost the city several thousand dollars. One council is afflicted with the misfortune of the small boy with a big apple—it bites off more than it can chew. We would advise that the water works extension be first completed upon the lines endorsed by the people, or at least on some plan acceptable to them, before a larger and more expensive undertaking is entered upon. The ratepayers will not be in a mood to endorse any new proposition until the old one is finally disposed of.

Taken to the Penitentiary.

Mr. Gaoler Moresbey on Tuesday brought seven prisoners to the penitentiary from Kamloops and Lytton as follows: Ah Chow, sentenced to be hanged on the 18th proximo for the murder of another Chinaman at Lytton; Alexan, an Indian, two years for larceny; Ah Suey and Chee Duck, each eighteen months with hard labor for wounding with intent to kill; Enoos, eighteen months with hard labor for the larceny of a horse, and James Reynolds, nine months with hard labor for stabbing a horse. Casmear, a Kamloops Indian, was remanded until next assizes on a charge of shooting Constable Smith with intent to kill.

The Steamers.

The Premier continues to attract large crowds. All who examine this beautiful vessel pronounce her to be a masterpiece in naval architecture. She is still being further embellished by a gang of mechanics who are at work on her. On Saturday morning she will clear for Port Townsend with the St. Andrew's and Caledonian excursion on board. It is said she will reach here on the return trip by 6 o'clock.

The R. P. Rithet went on her former route to New Westminster to-day instead of the Princess Louise. Permission for the change, which is but a temporary one, was obtained from the Marine Department at Ottawa. The Princess takes the place of the Yosemite on the Victoria-Vancouver route until necessary repairs to the latter are completed, which will be in a day or two, when the sailing schedule for the line for the winter will be issued.

The Premier will leave Victoria early on Sunday for Vancouver, from which port she will be run hereafter.

Cutting Affray.

A house of ill-fame in Trounce Alley, occupied by a woman named May Williams, was the scene of a cutting affray yesterday afternoon. A young man well known in this city, received a wound across the forehead from a knife in the hands of a stranger. The occupants of this house have been causing considerable trouble lately. The stranger who did the cutting is named Ebey; he acted as advance agent for a number of theatrical companies which have visited this city. After the row Ebey and the woman, May Williams, left the city and concealed themselves in an hotel outside the city limits. During the afternoon they returned and locked themselves in a room on board the steamer Olympian. They left for Seattle this morning and are beyond the reach of the law ere this. Edward Hodge, one of the principals in the affray, was locked-up to-day; the wounds received by him consist of a gash across the forehead, a cut on the arm and a slight cut near the heart. The wounds were inflicted with a large penknife. It is reported that Hodge is in the employ of the Corporation; he was the informer in the police investigation held a few days ago.

Ball at Government House.

Invitations are issued by the Lieut.-Governor and Mrs Nelson for a ball at Government House on the evening of Wednesday, Nov. 2nd.

ON THE WING.

Movements of People We Know and have Read of.

Mr. N. Portman returned to-day from a visit to Portland and the Sound ports.

Mrs. Shakespeare and Mrs. Raybould were passengers from the Sound by the North Pacific to-day.

Mr. Wm. Charles was out for a drive yesterday in charge of his medical attendant.

Mr. J. K. Sutter of the Mainland *Guardian* paid the capital a flying visit yesterday, returning home this morning.

Mr. J. M. O'Brien, editor of the *Colonist*, returned from his holiday trip to the mainland on Tuesday night. He went east as far as Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Renouf, George Byrnes, Wm. Wriglesworth, Bodwell and Neufelder were passengers last night from the continent.

Mr. W. J. Taylor of the legal firm of Eberts & Taylor, arrived home from the interior on Tuesday night. He was acting as crown prosecutor at the Kamloops and Lytton Assizes.

Mr. George Jay of the firm of Yates & Jay, solicitors, &c., returned from the Royal City last night, where he had been for several weeks, discharging the duties of registrar for Mr. Armstrong, who took a holiday trip to the east. It is evident the climate of Westminster agreed with Mr. Jay for he looks the very picture of health.

HARMONY IN THE CHURCHES.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

SIR—You will be glad to learn THE TIMES has corrected the Cathedral, and that on Sunday the Rev. Mr. Beanlands, alluding to the letter in THE TIMES, repudiated the idea that religious bigotry had anything to do with preventing the gentleman in question from singing; but I cannot say what nobler motive he claimed for the action of the Cathedral authorities. It was not bigotry, he maintained, but he did not wish any one to sing in the Cathedral who assisted Catholics, as that body would never help them. This may not be religious bigotry, which is venerable and awful, but trade jealousy or something like it. I hope Mr. Beanlands can put a better face on it.

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By the North Pacific: J Brannan, P Walker, M A Rothchild, Mrs McCulloch, C Perry, S Sherman, Williams wife and two daughters, Miss Hooker, Nickerson, Schurmanger wife and four children, F Howard, R Myers, W Myers, C Blackwell, Mrs Raybold, H Croford, N Portman, F A Kelly, Roche, Berryman, H Cooley, Hong Goor, J Forsythe, J Willard, Miss Good, Mrs Shakespeare, P Grant, Nichols and wife, J W Hanson, Yolroth, Witening Mrs Stevens, C J Melker, A Wilson, J Johnson, Mrs Turner, H Gitsle, F Elliot, Chamberlain and wife, Quilter and wife, A Horr, G Sheil, and 4 Indians.

Hotel Arrivals.

At the Occidental: D McKenzie, Seattle; L B McKnight, Tacoma; Thomas Chapman, Shawnigan; Robert Donaldson, North Wellington; J Jenkins, Somenos; C Barber, George Scott, England; Thomas Lucas, Charles Brown, Halifax; H Hookpot, J Skrinpelus, Toronto; R F John, Thomas John, Saanich; H Grant, Waldesse, Ind, are registered.

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